

623 Monument Street (House)
Danville
Pittsylvania County
Virginia

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ARCHITECTURAL DATA FORM

STATE VIRGINIA	COUNTY PITTSYLVANIA	TOWN OR VICINITY DANVILLE
HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME) 623 MONUMENT STREET (House)		HABS NO. VA-1036
SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE		
COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES) 623 Monument Street		
DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE) 1894 (HAER 1978 Danville Whse. Dst. Inventory)	ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE) Unknown	
SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE) Typical "L" shaped dwelling; similar to modest late 19th century dwellings on Monument St.		
STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE)		
MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS) (see sketches of floor plan) Brick pilings provide support for wood joists and floors. Wood clapboards fastened to 24" on center wall studs; tin roof; wood double-hung sash windows.		
SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE) 34'-8" facing west; 36'-1" facing south; 34'-8" facing east; 30'-3" facing north (see sketches of floor plan).		
EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE Clapboard construction; two-over-two-light window sash; pierced gable ventilators; tern roof.		
INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED) Central hall plan; two rooms on each side; bath added at rear of house.		
MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES Back porch and bath added; date unknown.		
PRESENT CONDITION AND USE The house was in poor condition and was used as rental property for several decades, until its purchase in March 1985. Deterioration including foundation, interior walls and ceilings, floors, eaves, exterior wood surfaces, porch, rear stairs, etc.		
OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE Copies of documentation will remain on record in archives of the National Tobacco-Textile Museum.		
SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDING LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.) 1894 Sanborn Insurance Map Tax List, City of Danville Real Estate Assessor's Office 1898-99 City Directory 1960 Factory Insurance Assoc. Tob-Text Mus. Archives 1978 HAER Danville Whse. Dst. Inventory 1899 Sanborn Insurance Map, Tob-Text Museum Archives		
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SCALE $\frac{1}{8}" = 1'-0"$

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